



#7

PATENT  
Attorney Docket No. 200868

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

Group Art Unit: 2665

JEFFREY et al.

Examiner: Molinari, Michael J.

Application No. 09/459,670

Filed: December 13, 1999

For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR COMMUNICATING WITH A VIRTUAL CIRCUIT  
NETWORK

**PETITION FOR TWO-MONTH EXTENSION  
OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**

Mail Stop \_\_\_\_\_  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a), the undersigned attorney, on behalf of applicant(s), hereby petitions for a two-month extension of time to and including June 29, 2003, to file a response to the Office Action of January 29, 2003, which carried an original response date of April 29, 2003.

A check in the amount of \$410.00 for the two-month extension fee is enclosed. Any additional fee which may be due or any other charges in connection with the submission of this response should be charged to Deposit Account No. 12-1216. A duplicate copy of this communication is enclosed for that purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

---

Grace Law, Reg. No. 48,872  
LEYDIG, VOIT & MAYER, LTD.  
Two Prudential Plaza, Suite 4900  
180 North Stetson  
Chicago, Illinois 60601-6780  
(312) 616-5600 (telephone)  
(312) 616-5700 (facsimile)

Date: June 26, 2003

07/26/2003 RECEIVED 00000017 121216 09459670  
01 FEE PAID 410.00 DA

In re Appln. of JEFFREY et al.  
Application No. 09/459,670

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this PETITION FOR TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (along with any documents referred to as attached or enclosed) is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on the date shown below with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop \_\_\_\_\_, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

Date: June 26, 2003

Jessica T. Hunter

Extension of Time Request (Revised 12/31/02)